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Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION (37 C.F.R. 1.116)**

In response to the final Office Action mailed October 5, 2005, having a three-month period of response ending January 5, 2006, Applicants wish to amend their application as follows: